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For: METHODS FOR RAISING PRE-ADULT ANADROMOUS FISH

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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					X \$ 25	\$ 0
					X \$100	\$ 200
					+ \$180	\$ 200
					+ \$360	\$ 0
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					RATE	ADDT. FEE
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